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#### List of Symbols

electrical bandwidth (post detection) B velocity of light c  $\mathbf{D}_{n}$ electron diffusion coefficient  $\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{p}}$ hole diffusion coefficient magnitude of the electron charge e electric field ξ  $\mathbf{E}_{ic}$ electron ionization energy  $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{ih}}$ hole ionization energy  $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{g}}$ bandgap energy normalized Planck's constant h boltzmann constant  $k_{\rm R}$ diffusion length for electrons  $L_n$ diffusion length for holes  $L_{\rm p}$ electron concentration in the conduction band n intrinsic electron concentration in the conduction band  $\mathbf{n}_{i}$  $N_{c}(E)$ effective density of states in the conduction band effective density of states in the valence band  $N_v(E)$  $\mathbf{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ load resistance signal to noise ratio **SNR** velocity of the electron ν built-in voltage  $V_{\rm bi}$  $V_{r}(V_{f})$ reverse (forward) bias voltage in a diode  $W_n(W_p)$ depletion region edge on the n-side (p-side) of a p-n junction depletion region width W impact ionization coefficient for electrons  $\alpha_{imp}$ impact ionization coefficient for holes  $\beta_{imp}$ free space permittivity 80 electron (hole) mobility  $\mu_n (\mu_p)$ cutoff wavelength of a detector  $\lambda_{\rm c}$ quantum efficiency of a detector ηο

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